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>From ???@??? Mon Jun 2 09:43:46 2003 -0500
Message-Id: <200306021443.h52EhfAF006979@sco.theporch.com>
Date: Mon, 2 Jun 2003 09:43:18 CDT
From: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: BOATANCHORS digest 3498

BOATANCHORS Digest 3498

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by John Dilks - K2TQN <oldradio@worldnet.att.net>
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by "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>
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by "Herbert M. Rosenthal" <herbrose@comcast.net>
- 6) FS CV-89A
by "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>
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by "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>
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- 11) FS Heath SB-401 Transmitter
by "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>
- 12) 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
by "Dennis Gibbs" <R390A@worldnet.att.net>
- 13) RE: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
by Morris Odell <Morris0@vifp.monash.edu.au>
- 14) SAMS Giveaway
by "August Johnson" <kg7bz@kg7bz.com>
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- 16) Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
by "Sandy W5TVW" <ebjr@i-55.com>
- 17) Re: Wholesale hogwash
by "Ed Zeranski" <ezeran@concentric.net>
- 18) Radiomarine CRM-R6A Web Site

- by "Richard Dillman" <ddillman@igc.org>
- 19) Re: Glory be... they're back (at Walgreens)....
by "Don Davis" <dxguy@earthlink.net>
- 20) Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
by Henry van Cleef <vancleef@eskimo.com>
- 21) Re: Radiomarine CRM-R6A Web Site
by "ed sharpe" <esharpe@uswest.net>
- 22) Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
by Bob Roehrig <broehrig@aurora.edu>
- 23) Hallicrafters errata
by jackiv@juno.com
- 24) Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
by "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>

Message-ID: <003501c327fa\$aa1efa50\$0200a8c0@speedy>
From: "Bill Weinel" <tube_radio@mindspring.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Cc: <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Galaxy Net/users group
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 01:00:04 -0400
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
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Hi Bob,

I don't think there is a specific Galaxy only group. However, the Swan group has a number of Galaxy users and a few very knowledgeable folks who can help with repairs on Galaxy equipment. I'm sure they would be willing to help answer most any questions you have about Galaxy gear. Below are the addresses for either subscribing to the list or obtaining more information:

List-Help: <<http://topica.com/lists/Swan-Net/>>
List-Unsubscribe: <<mailto:Swan-Net-unsubscribe@topica.com>>
List-Subscribe: <<mailto:Swan-Net-subscribe@topica.com>>
List-Post: <<mailto:Swan-Net@topica.com>>
List-Archive: <<http://topica.com/lists/Swan-Net/read>>

73 Bill, W4WHW

----- Original Message -----
Subject: Galaxy Net/users group

> Is there a Galaxy mailing list I can subscribe to anywhere?

Message-Id: <3.0.3.32.20030601085418.022f3a28@pop-server.nc.rr.com>
Date: Sun, 01 Jun 2003 08:54:18 -0400
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: john <johnmb@nc.rr.com>
Subject: Re: Galaxy Net/users group
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

The Vintage Sideband Net (14.292 3PM EDT) usually has a couple folks running galaxy stuff every week. Good net!

73
John K5M0

Message-Id: <5.1.1.6.0.20030601090139.026f6db0@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Date: Sun, 01 Jun 2003 09:03:53 -0400
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: John Dilks - K2TQN <oldradio@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: MAARC Meet in Maryland this Friday + weekend
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Hi gang,

This is a big one. Who's planning to attend? What are you bringing?

I'm planning to bring a lot of parts and a couple of ham rigs to sell. I'll have a list after I pack the car.

<http://www.maarc.org/>

73' John, K2TQN

Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 13:41:24 -0400 (EDT)
From: "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>
Message-Id: <200306011741.NAA00990@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: 8907 chassis pics, etc

Several asked about panel & insides of the "8907 packset."
Here 2 are:

<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-4Ap.jpg>

<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-4Bp.jpg>

Excuse the fuzz, kid's digi-camera

You may note tubes removed.

Looks like 3A4 osc, 2 3A4 finals, 2 3A4 modulators

1U4, 1T4, 1R4, etc. in rx

All tubes seem dated 57-13. The week of 4/1/57. Hmmm

Replacements there from '63 and "HR" (post '66?)

Again, this's on 3970kcs & original fotos of this still-unrecognized
OD critter now at

<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-1p.jpg>

<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-2p.jpg>

<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-3p.jpg>

Marty

Date: Sun, 01 Jun 2003 11:51:36 -0600
From: "Herbert M. Rosenthal" <herbrose@comcast.net>
Subject: Glory be... they're back (at Walgreens)....
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Message-id: <3EDA3D22.4339194B@comcast.net>
MIME-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-transfer-encoding: 7BIT

Sunday's ad (6/1/03) for Walgreens includes an "Old Fashion vacuum tube radio! "

It is an AM/FM radio for \$10. Can you believe it? Tubes included, too. No joke.

The ad's picture shows 3 bulbous-looking things with something green (glowing ?) inside each one. Like nothing I've ever seen before... perhaps a VR105 with the wrong gas?

I'll wager there's a PC board with transistors inside... too good to be true if not (ha!). And probably plastic and not glass envelopes, after all.

I must get over to see this thing ASAP, before they sell out. Perhaps the buy of the century for we BAers. No doubt from you-know-where. Maybe some '01As, or better, a few WECO 2A5s that bring obscene \$\$ on the "e" place. Wow!

It's gotta look great next to my display of TX tubes that are real-and that do light up: 813, 802, 304TL, 805, all lit from one transformer and ww resistors. Helluva night light, but every time I turn it on the juices of yore flow; my display board also provides great therapy when I've read of some dastardly modern-day happening- an hour, just sitting quietly with these gems casting their glow, and I'm ready for another 73+ years, never mind the latest drive-by, or today's article about what the (arid, water-depleted) Southwest will look like in 20 years...

If you are near a store, drop in and see what \$10 buys these days.... then let us know what you found. Tell us whether you unashamedly bought one to display...'kitsch' is the word, I think.

This posting has to be on track... when did you last see VTs advertised in Walgreens :-)?

Herb Rosenthal W5AN
Albuquerque

Message-ID: <01bd01c3286a\$33dad650\$41106343@EWHITE>
From: "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: FS CV-89A
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 14:17:59 -0400
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Gang:

Doing some cleaning and I would like to get rid of a CV-89A TTY converter \$25.00 + shipping. This unit worked six years ago before I retired it. Would like to have it picked up in Bear, Delaware or short ride to meet Ed
WA3BZT

Message-ID: <01c501c3286b\$1349c800\$41106343@EWHITE>
From: "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: FS CV-172
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 14:24:42 -0400
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Gang:

Spring cleaning, FS CV-172 FAX converter never used. \$10.00 + shipping.

Would like it picked up Bear, Delaware or short ride to meet

Ed

WA3BZT

Message-ID: <01cd01c3286b\$8e155400\$41106343@EWHITE>

From: "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: Heath TX-1 Apache

Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 14:28:08 -0400

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Gang:

Doing some cleaning and have a Heath TX-1 Apache for sale \$100.00 Would like this picked up or we can meet with in 25 to 50 miles of Bear, Delaware (Wilmington, Delaware)

Ed

WA3BZT

Message-ID: <01ef01c32871\$caaf2fc0\$41106343@EWHITE>

From: "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: FS HX-30

Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 15:12:15 -0400

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Gang:

Doing some cleaning I have a Heath HX-30 6 meter transmitter for sale \$50.00.

Would like it picked up in Bear, Delaware area or will meet in the 25 to 50 mile area

Ed

WA3BZT

Message-ID: <01f901c32876\$6917b840\$41106343@EWHITE>

From: "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: FS B&W Model 651
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 15:45:23 -0400
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Gang:
I just keep digging out great stuff.
B&W Model 651 75 ohms Matchmaster in nice shape This is a 75 ohm SWR meter
for the B&W series transmitter \$25.00 + shipping>
Ed
WA3BZT

Message-ID: <020101c32877\$3555f1b0\$41106343@EWHITE>
From: "Ed White" <wa3bzt@wserv.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: FS Heath SB-401 Transmitter
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 15:51:32 -0400
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi Gang:
Have a SB-401 Transmitter for sale \$75.00+ shipping
Ed
WA3BZT

From: "Dennis Gibbs" <R390A@worldnet.att.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 19:39:32 -0400
Message-ID: <000101c32897\$0e088d00\$204cfea9@MargeLaptop>
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Hello everyone,

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Dennis

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Date: Mon, 02 Jun 2003 10:19:08 +1000
From: Morris Odell <MorrisO@vifp.monash.edu.au>
Subject: RE: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Message-id:
<07A064EA6042D4118A62009027F70E77339B8C@nt_exchange.vifp.monash.edu.au>
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Dennis Gibbs wrote:

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It will work, as they are not too different. However the operating conditions won't be the same and the heater current is twice that of the 6V6 as you observe. A quick look at the 6L6 data shows that as a class A power amp with 250 volts on the plate, it needs a cathode resistor of 167 ohms and draws total current of about 80 mA. With the 6V6's 250 ohms this will be less, but still might be a bit too much for the power supply or even the OP transformer. The 6L6 also wants about half the load impedance of a 6V6 under those conditions.

I would reinstall a 6V6 - they are common enough.

73, Morris VK3DOC

From: "August Johnson" <kg7bz@kg7bz.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: SAMS Giveaway
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 18:25:39 -0700
Message-ID: <000001c328a5\$e0a1f090\$647ba8c0@Tardis>
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Hi All,

I have two four-drawer file cabinets filled with SAMS Photofacts that I need to clean out of here. There are folders back to #100, I've been looking through them and there's lots of info here! I also have a couple indexes for them. The person who can get here and take them ALL, including the cabinets, gets them for FREE. I need the space, I took these when someone was going to haul them to the dump, I don't want to have to make that trip myself. I'm located in Lakeside, AZ about 200 miles NW of Phoenix.

August Johnson
KG7BZ

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From: "August Johnson" <kg7bz@kg7bz.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: SAMS Giveaway
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 18:27:33 -0700
Message-ID: <000801c328a6\$24549130\$647ba8c0@Tardis>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
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KG7BZ

Message-ID: <004501c328b3\$7b009a80\$29a3cdd1@s0023531634>
From: "Sandy W5TVW" <ebjr@i-55.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 22:03:00 -0500

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Do not...repeat: DO NOT use a 6L6 or 5881 for a sub for the 6V6! It will draw more heater current and plate current. The 6V6 is a very common tube. A 6AQ5 and a home-made adapter will work OK as the 6AQ5 is sort of a miniature equivalent of the 6V6.
The 5881 and 6L6 may lead to early power transformer failure or at least some overheating.

73,
Sandy W5TVW
----- Original Message -----
From: "Dennis Gibbs" <R390A@worldnet.att.net>
To: "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 01, 2003 6:39 PM
Subject: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???

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| Dennis
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Message-ID: <003201c328b6\$15359d60\$7c89dd40@ejzlt>
From: "Ed Zeranski" <ezeran@concentric.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Wholesale hogwash
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 20:21:37 -0700
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;

charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

> > Hey! Nobody wants a rusty snake...

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> I think you misunderstand.

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> Snake oil is produced from the gentle pressing of snakes,

Darnation!!!! Kinda like AB1 bias. I'll get it right one of these years
~8^0

From: "Richard Dillman" <ddillman@igc.org>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Date: Sun, 01 Jun 2003 22:34:43 -0700
MIME-Version: 1.0
Subject: Radiomarine CRM-R6A Web Site
Message-ID: <3EDA7F83.13275.C2FB91@localhost>
Content-type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-transfer-encoding: 7BIT
Content-description: Mail message body

As I mentioned in an earlier email message I've been lucky enough to acquire a Radiomarine CRM-R6A receiver. Now I have made a Web site dedicated to this receiver that includes technical details, excerpts from the manual, operating impressions, pictures of the receiver and information about this particular receiver's provenance. This site may be found at:

<http://radiomarine.org/CRM-R6A/>

All comments, suggestions and additional information about the CRM-R6A will be welcomed.

VY 73,

RD

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Richard Dillman, W6AWO
Member of the Maritime Radio Historical Society
<<http://www.radiomarine.org>>
Collector of Heavy Metal:
Harleys, Willys and Radios over 100lbs.

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Message-ID: <01b401c328c2\$2102bd60\$1037b3d1@hppav>
From: "Don Davis" <dxguy@earthlink.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Glory be... they're back (at Walgreens)....
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 21:47:51 -0700
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Yes, very cute!

Try their website below for a look.

73s

Don AD6PB

http://www.walgreens.com/store/sundayad/home.jhtml?storenbr=5591&_DARGS=%2Fsundayad%2Fhome.jhtml.4_A&_DAV=66308

----- Original Message -----

From: "Herbert M. Rosenthal" <herbrose@comcast.net>
To: "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Sent: Sunday, June 01, 2003 10:51 AM
Subject: Glory be... they're back (at Walgreens)....

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From: Henry van Cleef <vancleef@eskimo.com>
Message-Id: <200306020503.WAA24391@eskimo.com>
Subject: Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 23:03:40 -0600 (MDT)
Cc: boatanchors@theporch.com (Old Tube Radios)
MIME-Version: 1.0
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The esteemed Dennis Gibbs has said:

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"Valid substitute?" I wouldn't call it overly valid, although as you've observed, 6L6 family will work in a 6V6 circuit. If in a self-bias (cathode resistor) circuit, the operating point will be closer to cutoff than for the 6V6, but essentially 6V6-correct for plate and screen currents, transconductance, load impedance, etc. On fixed bias, you'll draw too much current and not match the circuit very well.

6V6 is a very nice tube to work with, quite flexible, and tends to be long-lived. I'd suggest that you look for one to plug into that socket.

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Hank van Cleef (vancleef@eskimo.com, hvanclee@nyx.net)
1986 420SEL

Date: Sun, 1 Jun 2003 22:16:32 -0700
Message-ID: <010801c328c6\$245bfdb0\$0100a8c0@SONYDIGITALED>
From: "ed sharpe" <esharpe@uswest.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Radiomarine CRM-R6A Web Site
MIME-Version: 1.0
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reminds me of a weird radiomarine object we have. it is like a one tube front end preselector or pre amp. silver face etc.... I will have to dig it out and get the number and id on it for you.

keep up the good documentation!

ed sharpe archivist for smecc

----- Original Message -----

From: "Richard Dillman" <ddillman@igc.org>

To: "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Sent: Sunday, June 01, 2003 10:34 PM

Subject: Radiomarine CRM-R6A Web Site

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> VY 73,

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> RD

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Date: Mon, 2 Jun 2003 08:09:31 -0500 (CDT)

From: Bob Roehrig <broehrig@aurora.edu>

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: Re: 5881 as a substitute for 6V6GT???
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On Sun, 1 Jun 2003, Dennis Gibbs wrote:

> Anyone know if a 5881 (an industrial 6L6, from what I understand)
> is a valid substitute for a 6V6?

You pretty much answered that yourself. Not only is the filament current different, The plate Z is also. Definently look for a 6V6 to put in there.

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HI ALL..

I have several Hallicrafters yellow warranty cards, One for the HT-33B,
one for the HA-1-, two for the HA-8
one for the PS-150-120, PLUS two installation instructions for the HA-3A
mobile noise suppression kit.

I would like a buck each for the warranty cards, shipped and 4 bucks each
for the instruction manuals, shipped.

(it costs more to ship the manuals because of the non standard envelope
size).

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Trade 2 6V6GTs for 1 5881.

Freind runs foundling home for misused KT66, 6550, EL34/6CA7, EL37, KT88, 845, WE300B, WE350, WE274, & 211 tubes.

Higher exchange for these latter.

Antique Electronics has Vol. 10, Vacuum Tube Valley which has a 6V6 listening test.

Haven't read it but I'd brace myself for for terms like:

- warmth
- soundstage
- presence
- audition
- musical aspect
- etc.

Then there's the details that separate mere mortal 6V6s from the sublime:

- early header-type element mount
- black glass
- no-RF guarantee

The last aspect would require letter of provenance with wording like

"This black glass TungSol was pulled from an otherwise mint 1951 14" Muntz. Set was just used to view Lucky Strike commercials"

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